

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
STANDING COMMITTEE
FEBRUARY 7, 2011
ROOM 250 STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX**

Members Present: Sen. D. Chris Buttars, Chair
 Sen. Allen M. Christensen
 Sen. Mark B. Madsen
 Sen. Stuart C. Reid
 Sen. Patricia W. Jones
 Sen. Luz Robles

Staff Present: Mark D. Andrews, Policy Analyst
 Kathy Helgesen, Committee Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Lauren Barrows, attorney
 Dale LeDuc
 Julie Gainer, MD
 Cathleen Power
 Bill Dance, Sutherland Institute
 Ray Anderson
 Gayle Ruzika, Utah Eagle Forum
 Debbie Thompson
 Karen Clark, Utah Eagle Forum
 Kim Dahl, Coalition for Parental Rights
 Peter Cannon
 Andrea Globokar
 Gerald Hasty
 Nicole Wilkinson
 Rose Marie Murray, United Families of Utah
 Michael Hales, Deputy Director, Utah Department of Health
 Ronald Mortensen, Senior Policy Advisor, Davis County 9/12
 Project
 Sheila Walsh-McDonald, Utah Health Policy Project, Salt Lake
 Community Action
 Stan Rasmussen, Director of Public Affairs, Sutherland Institute

A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Sen. Buttars called the meeting to order at 8:15 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

MOTION: Sen. Jones moved to approve the minutes of February 3, 2011

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Madsen and Sen. Robles absent for the vote.

1. SB0062 - Adoption Revisions (R. Romero)

Sen. Romero presented the bill.

Ms. Barrows, Mr. LeDuc, Dr. Gainer, Ms. Power, Mr. Anderson, Ms. Thompson, Ms. Globokar, and Ms. Wilkinson spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Dance, Ms. Ruzika, Ms. Clark, Mr. Cannon, and Mr. Hasty spoke in opposition to the bill.

Ms. Dahl and Ms. Murray spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Robles moved to pass S.B. 62 out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

SUBSTITUTE MOTION: Sen. Reid moved to table S.B. 62.

The substitute motion passed 5-1-0 with Sen. Robles voting in opposition.

2. HB0211 - Community Service Medicaid Pilot Program (R. Menlove)

Rep. Menlove presented the bill.

Mr. Hales spoke to the bill.

Mr. Mortensen and Mr. Rasmussen spoke in favor of the bill.

Ms. Walsh-McDonald spoke in opposition to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Christensen moved to pass H.B. 211 out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed 4-2-0 with Sen. Jones and Sen. Robles voting in opposition.

MOTION: Sen. Christensen moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 9:52 a.m.

Minutes reported by Kathy Helgesen, Secretary.

Sen. D. Chris Buttars, Committee Chair